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AN EAST TIMORESE DEFENDANT IN JAKARTA SERIOUSLY ILL.

From IN FIGHT we received this morning the following news:

Fernando Araujo, one of the East Timorese defendants in Jakarta has been urgently hospitalised in the Kramat Jati Police hospital, East Jakarta to day. He suffers probably from hepatitis and other complaints due to the bad treatments he received during his detention. Like other East Timorese prisoners, he received only one meal every day under police custody (bought from a near by West-Sumatranese restaurant) beside the breakfast which consisted of a fried banana.

The seventeen East-Timorese released from the police custody some time ago are kept in the military building Wisma Jaya are not fed and only given 3.000 rupiah a day (one US dollar and a half). Their scholarships ~~are not paid anymore.~~ have been suspended.